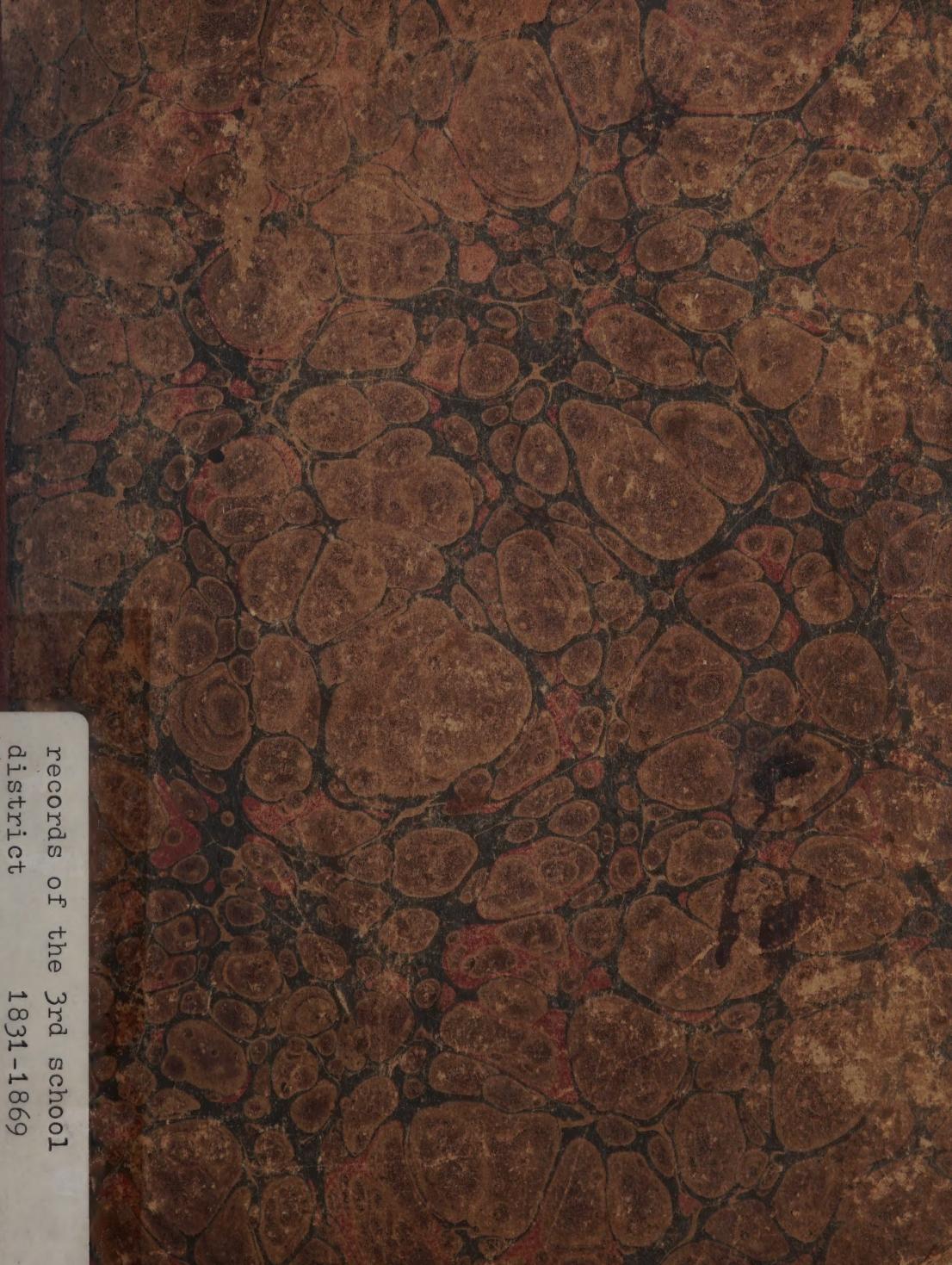


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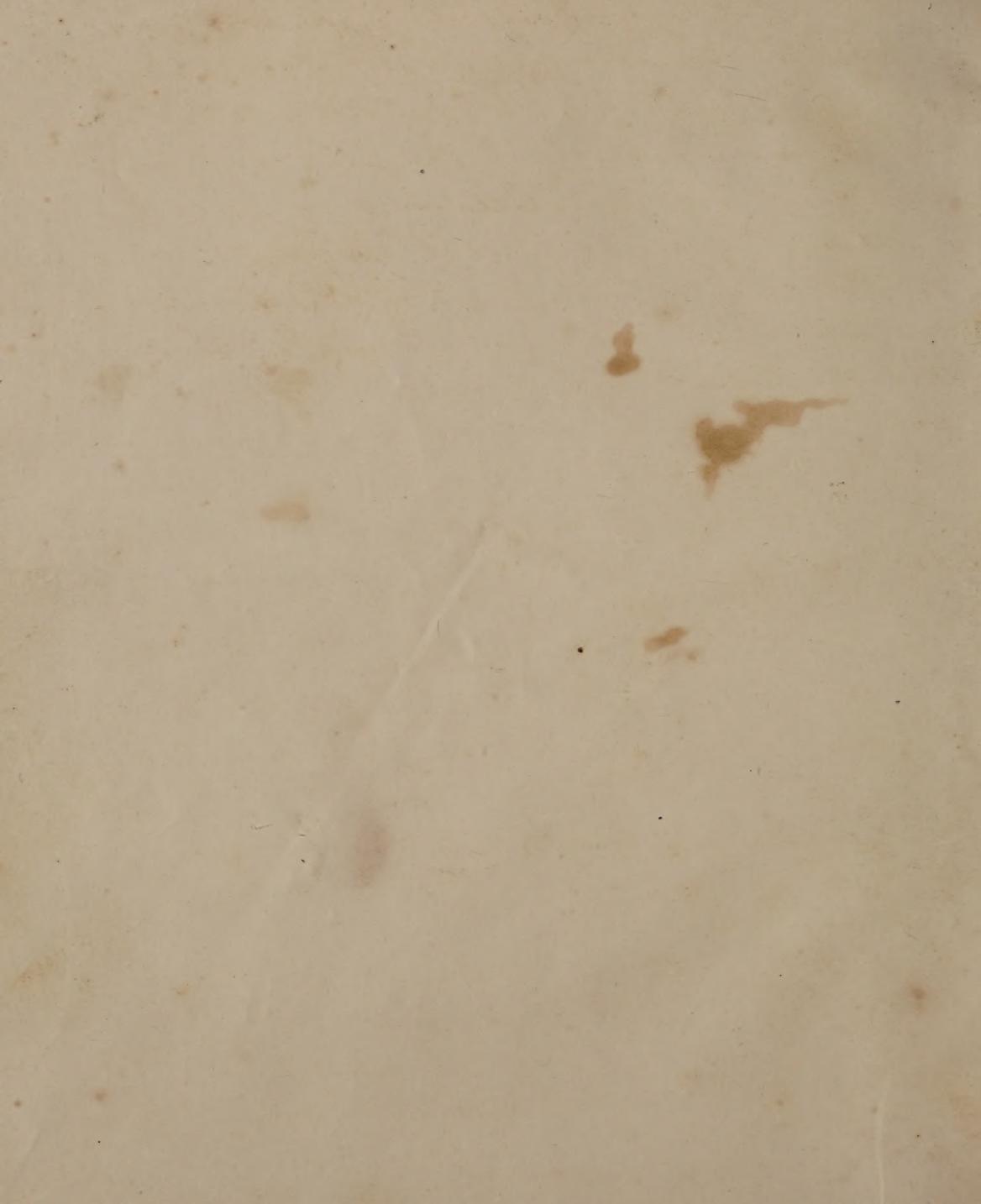
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The Records of the third
School District in
Boxford



Boxford September 5th 1831.

At a request of several of the inhabitants of the third school district, the selectmen issued a warrant in the words following viz.

To Joseph William of Boxford Greeting
Sir You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the male inhabitants residing in School district No. 3 in said town qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet and assemble at the School house in said district on Monday the nineteenth day of September Inst^t at 3 o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz.

- 1st To choose a Moderator
- 2^d To choose School district Clerk, and to act on any other articles that may then and there occur.

And have you there this warrant with your doings at the time and place above named.

Given under our hands at Boxford this the 5th day of September A.D. 1831.

Thomas S. Hovey Selectmen
Samuel Kimball of
Moses Dorman Jr Boxford

Pursuant to the within warrant I have
notified all the qualified voters of said district
either personally or by notification in writing
left at their usual place of abode, seven days
before holding the meeting.

Boxford Sept^r 19th 1831 Joseph Hillam

1831 September 19th At a legal meeting of
the inhabitants of the third School District
qualified to vote in town affairs, notified agree-
able to a warrant from the Selectmen of
Boxford directed to Joseph Hillam.

1st Chose Capt John Hillam Moderator.
2d Chose Joseph Hillam Clerk.

3d Voted to adjourn to Saturday the first
day of Oct next at five o'clock in the
afternoon. Joseph Hillam Clerk

1831 Oct 1st Meet agreeable to adjournment
to act on any other articles that may
then and there occur.

1st Chose Dear Parker Sprofford as a
Committee to collect the records from
the Town Books and lay them before
council for advice, respecting the one
hundred dollars that was voted by the
town to the third district, on condition of

their building a new School House

22. Voted. that the clerk shall notify a meeting on request of five legal voters in the district. and five shall be a quorum.

32. Voted. that it shall be legal notice for the clerk to post it on the school house and at two other public places in the district.

4th. Voted, adjourn this meeting to Saturday the 22d. of Oct. Inst at five o'clock in the afternoon Joseph Hillam Clerk

1831 Oct. 22^d. Met agreeable to adjournme^{nt}
Deu. Parker El großord brought forward
the opinion of Benj^m Merrill Esq^r
of Salem, upon the £ 30. that was voted
by town March 12th 1793. which is that the
district cannot recover &c. the opinion of Mr.
Merrill is as follows Viz.

Salem Oct. 15. 1831.

I am of opinion that the S^t School
district in Buxford cannot enforce the
payment of the £ 30. voted March 12th
1793. the length of time, nearly 40 years,
that has elapsed since the passing the vote
is alone a sufficient objection. For if the

Vote was a Contract, it is barred by the
statute of Limitations, — and if it was a
Grant that length of time raises the pre-
sumption that it has been fulfilled, or recir-
cled by common consent. Still, as the
other districts have received and have been
enjoying their L. & O. it is equity and
good conscience due to the Third district
with interest. Benjn Merrill

Copy of Record.

Voted to dissolve the meeting,

Joseph Killam, Clerk

1832 September 28th. At a request of several
of the inhabitants of the third school
district, the Clerk notified according to
a vote of the district in the words following
viz. Notice.

To the inhabitants of the third School
District qualified to vote in town affairs
are hereby notified to meet and assemble
at the school house in said district
on Saturday the sixth day of October
next at four o'clock P. M. to act on the
following articles viz
1st. To choose a Moderator

2d. To see if the District will vote to furnish themselves with a convenient School House either by repairing the old house or building a new one, if so to raise a suitable sum of money to carry the same into effect

3d. To choose a committee to see to the repairing or building said house

Joseph Hillam, Clerk

October 6th 1832.

The district met according to notice.

1st Chose Capt. Jacob Batchelder, Moderator.

2d Voted to furnish themselves with a house.

3d Voted to choose a committee of three, to examine the old School House, and report what the probable expense to repair and also what the probable expense to build a new one.

4th Chose, Capt John Hillam, Capt. Jacob Batchelder and Oliver T. Peabody as the committee.

5th Voted to adjourn to Thursday the 11th Inst.
to six O'clock P.M. Jno. Hillam Clerk

October 11th 1832. The district met according to adjournment

The committee report to repair the old School house.

1st Voted to reconsider the second, third
and fourth votes of the last meeting.

2d Voted to dissolve the meeting

Joseph Gillam, Clerk

1832. October 18. At a request or petition of
the inhabitants of third School district
the selectman issued a warrant in the
words following viz.

L.S. To Parker Safford one of the inhabitants
of School district No. 3. within the town of
Borxford Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts you are hereby directed to
notify and warn the male inhabitants
of said district, duly qualified to vote in to-
wn affairs to meet and assemble at the Sch-
ool house in said district on Friday the
twenty sixth day of Oct^r current at four
O'clock in the afternoon to act on the fol-
lowing articles viz.

1st To Chose a Moderator

2d To see if the district will vote to
repair their school house

3d To raise a suitable sum of money
to defray the expense of the repair

4th To Chose a committee to carry the said
repair in effect.

Hereof fail not, and have you there this warrant with your doings person at the time and place above mentioned.

Given under our hands and seals at
Boxford this eighteenth day of october

D. 1832.

Moses Dorman Selectman
Ames Thimball } of Boxford

Pursuant to the within warrant, I have
notified and warned the qualified voters, in
School District No. 3, in the town of Boxford
as therein expressed. Parker Sprofford
Boxford Octo^r 26. 1832.

1832. Octo^r 26. At a legal meeting of the inhabitants
of the third School district qualified to vote in
town affairs, notified agreeable to a warrant
from the Selectmen of Boxford directed to
Parker Sprofford.

1st. Chose Parker Sprofford Moderator
2d. Voted, to repair the school house.
3d. Voted, to raise one hundred dollars to
carry the same into effect.

4th. Voted, a committee of three to see to the
repair of the school House
Chose Sylvester Cummins, John Gillam
Jacob Town. } Committee

5th voted to empower the committee to borrow one hundred dollars.

6th Voted to adjourn to Friday the ninth of November next at six O'clock in the afternoon. for William Clark
1832 Novⁿ 9th. Met according to adjournment.

1st Voted. the committee raise the school House a suitable height and underpin the said house as soon as convenient also to contract with one or more carpentors to finish the School house in a manner which may be considered the most convenient for the instructing a school.

2^d Voted. to adjourn to Saturday fifteenth day of December next at six P.M.

Joseph William Clark
1832 Decⁿ 15. Met according to adjournment

1st Voted. to raise Seventy dollars in addition to the 100, dollars voted October twenty sixth one thousand, eight hundred and thirty two to defray the expense of repairing the school house

2^d Voted to dissolve the meeting

Joseph William Clark

The expense of repairing the school house in
the third district in the year of 1832.

George H. Smith's bill for lumber	\$ 65	70
John Parleys - do -	6	72
D. & J. Pulsifers - do -	8	64
William Dean & Cos - do -		87 1/2
Joseph Littles - do -		86
R. McQuestion - do - -		36
Henry Pettingill - do -	1	54
Jacob Towne - do -	15	75
Isreal D. Elliot - do -	27	00
W. Frothingham - do - -	12	75
Oliver Woodbury - do - -	3	50
Sylvester Cummins - do -		3 1/4
John Littum - do -	32	54
Bills for assessing tax on the third school district - -		3 00
Phineas Barnes. bill as auctionier -	1	19
Samuel Morse for collecting tax	6	00
By abatement of Albert Parley's tax		91
By abatement of Joseph C. Batchelder do.		91
Sylvester Cummins bill -	3	65
<u>Total expense - -</u>	<u>197</u>	<u>86</u>

Received by tax - - - - - 177 58

Received by auction 20 45

Total received 198 03

Balance in the district 17

1837 April 2^d The inhabitants of the three
School districts were notified to meet
at the school house in said, on the tenth
day of May ~~next~~ at six o'clock P.M. to act
on the following articles viz:

1st Do Chose a Moderator
2d Do Chose a District Clerk
3d What part of their particular share
of the money raised for the support of
school the present year shall be ex-
pended for the support of womans
school, and what part for a mans school
4th Do determine what time to have have
the annual meeting.

Joseph Hillam, Clerk

1837 May 10th. At a legal meeting of the inhab-
itants of the third school district as notified
voted 1st Chose Jacob Towne, Moderator
.. 2d Chose Joseph Hillam, Clerk.
.. 3d Do appropriate the money same as
last year
.. 4th The annual meeting to be the third
monday in April next
Voted to dissolve the meeting

1838 April 9th Notified the inhabitants of the
District according to the vote of last year
To the inhabitants of School District
No. 3. You are hereby required to meet at
the school house, in said district on Sun-
day the sixteenth day of April inst. at six
o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles
viz. 1st To Chose a Moderator
2d. To Chose a Clerk, for the School district
3d. To a Prudential Committee for the ens-
uing year
4th To Appropriate the money for
the ensuing year.

Joseph Hillam, Clerk
1838. April 16th The district according to notice
voted adjourn to Jacob Batchelder, this
evening

voted 1st To chose Jacob Batchelder Moderator
.. 2d. Chose Joseph Hillam Clerk.
.. 3d. Chose Oliver T. Peabody, prudential
committee for the ensuing year
.. 4th To Appropriate the money same
as last year.
.. 5th To dissolve the meeting

Joseph Hillam, Clerk

1839 May 28th The inhabitants where notified
in the words following viz.

Voice. To the inhabitants of School
district No 3. You are required to meet
at the Schoolhouse in said district on
Tuesday the fourteenth day of June next at
seven o'clock A.M to Chose a Prudential
Committee for the ensuing year and
to act on any other articles that may
than and there occur. Jos. H. Hillard Clerk
1839 June 4th. Met according to the notice at the
School house.

Voted. 1st. Chose Jacob Duvore, prudential com-
mittee for the ensuing year

2d. To appropriate forty dollars for a wom-
ans school and the rest for a mans school
3d. To dissolve the meeting Jno. Hillard Clerk

1840 April. Notified the district for a School
meeting.

The district did not meet

1841 May 10th By request the selectmen issued
a warrant in the words following viz.

To Joseph Hillam a freeholder and
one of the inhabitants of school district
Number three in Bofford. Greeting
You are hereby required in the name
of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to
notify and warn the male inhabitants of
said District duly qualified to vote in said
district, to meet and assemble at the school
house in said school district, on Monday the
twenty fourth day of May current at eleven
o'clock A.M. to act on the following articles.

1st To choose a Moderator

2^d To choose a School District Clerk

3rd To choose a Prudential Committee for the
existing year

4th To determine in what manner the
school money shall be appropriated the
current year.

5th To determine in what manner future
School district meetings shall be notified

6th To act on any other business that
may regularly come before the meeting
hereof fail not and make return of this
warrant with your doings hereon at the
time and place above named.

Given under our hands and seals at
Boxford this fifteenth day of May A.D. 1841.

Selectmen

Moses Dorman Jr. of
Wm H. Herrick Boxford

Pursuant to the within warrant & have
notified and warned the qualified voters, in
School district No. 3. in the town of Boxford
as therein expressed.

Boxford May 17. 1841. Joseph Gillam
1841. May 24th The inhabitants of the third
school district meet according to the notice
as expressed in the warrant.

After the meeting was called to order
voted Chose. Dem Oliver T. Peabody Moderator
and Chose. Joseph Gillam Clerk.
and Chose Nath'l G. Spiller, prudential
Committee for the ensuing year

14th So appropriate fifty dollars for a
Normans school

6th. Voted. that it shall be legal
notice for future school meetings,
for the Clerk to put a notice on the
meeting house in the east parish in
Boxford, on the school house, and on the
guide post at the oak tree, so called
7th That the prudential committee make

return to the District Clerk annually
what money received from the town, and
how expended, how much for a woman's
how much for a man's school, and how much
for fuel.

voted, That the annual meetings be on
the first Monday in May annually
voted, That five legal voters be a quorum
to act on business.

voted, to dissolve the meeting.

Joseph Willard Clerk

1841. P. G. Spiller's return as Committee
the summer term 18 weeks

Payed Rebecca R. Barker 1,53 per week. 27,54
for board 1,25 per week. 22,50
Winter-term 8 weeks.

William C. Todd 15,00 per month. 31,25
for board 2,00 per week. 16,34
one cord of wood 6,00

The order from the town \$4,40

1842. April 23d. The inhabitants in the third school district were notified according to vote of the district in the words following viz. Notice The inhabitants of the third School District, are hereby required to meet at the school house, in said district, on Monday, the second day of May next at six o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz.

- 1st. To Chose a Moderator
- 2d. To Chose a district Clerk
- 3d. To Chose a Prudential Committee for the ensuing year
- 4th. To Appropriate the Money for the ensuing year

Joseph Hillam Clark

1842. May 2d. Met at the school house according to the notice.

- Noted. 1st. Chose Albert Perley Moderator
- 2d. Chose Joseph Hillam. Clerk
- 3d. Chose Oliver D. Peabody, prudential committee for the ensuing year
- 4th. To Appropriate forty dollars for a woman's School
- 5th. To receive N. G. Spillers report of the expenses of last year Schools

1842, October 29th. By request the Clerk notified the inhabitants to have meeting in the words following viz.

Notice. The inhabitants of the third School district are hereby required to meet at School house, in said district on Monday the seventh day of November next at six o'clock P. M. to act on the following articles viz.

1st To choose a Moderator

2^d To choose a Librarian and Committee for the School Library.

Joseph Hillam Clerk

1842. November 7th. The inhabitants met at the school house according to the notice.

Voted, 1st. Chose, Samuel H. Batchelder, Moderator.

2^d. Chose Samuel H. Batchelder, Dea. J. Kimball and Joseph Hillam, a committee

to prepare regulations for the library.

3^d. To adjourn to the eleventh of Nov^m Inst.

November 11th. The district met at the school house according to the adjournment.

The Committee chosen at the last meeting reported the following for the regulations

of the School district Library.

Article 1st. There shall be chosen at the annual District meeting held on the first monday in May, a Librarian who shall also be Treasurer, and a Standing Committee.

2d. It shall be the duty of the standing Committee to examine the books at least once in a year, They shall also assess such sums of money upon those persons who have a right to take books from the library, as the district may vote raise, either for enlarging, or maintaining the Library.

3d. Each family in the District may take out one volume at one time and keep it four weeks, but if at the expiration of that time, they are not returned, a fine of one cent a day will be required for each book.

4th Books may be taken out, or exchanged, on wednesday in each week from one until four o'clock P.M.

5th No person shall lend a book taken from the library, and if any person lend such books he shall forfeit

.. twenty five cents for each offence.

.. 6th Books lost, torn written in or otherwise
wise materially injured must be paid
for or replaced,

.. 7th In case that books are injured, the
standing committee shall decide what
sum ought to be paid by the person
who has injured them.

.. 8th The Librarian shall receive all fines
for the use and benefit of the library

.. 9th All books must be returned to the
Librarian on or before the first monday
in May.

.. 10th The right of a person to take books
from the library shall be suspended
untill all fines incurred shall be paid

Samuel H. Batchelder

Conn

Joseph Hillam, mitte
Voted, to receive the regulations as reported
by the Committee

.. 2d. Chose Joseph Hillam, Samuel H.
Batchelder, and Deafosiah Kimball
Standing Committee for the ensuing year

.. 3d. To dissolve this meeting

Joseph Hillam Clark

1843 April 24th The inhabitants of the third school district were notified according to the vote of the district in the words following viz. Notice. The inhabitants of the third School District, are hereby required to meet at the School house in said district on Monday the first day of May next at six o'clock P.M. to act on the following Articles viz.

1st To Chose a Moderator

2^d To Chose a district Clerk.

3^d To Chose a Prudential Committee for the ensuing year

4th To Appropriate the money for the ensuing year

5th To Chose a Librarian and standing Committee for the ^{School} Library for the ensuing year.

Joseph Hillam, Clerk

1843 May 1st At a meeting held at the School house in the third district as notified.

Voted 1st - chose Josiah Thimball. Moderator

2^d Chose, Joseph Hillam, district Clerk.

3^d Chose, Albert Perley prudential Committee for the ensuing year

voted. 4th To appropriate one third of the
money for a womans school.
.. 5th Chose Joseph Gillum, Librarian.
.. 6th Chase, Josiah Kimball, Samuel H.
Batchelder, and Joseph Gillum standing
committee for the library
voted. To dissolve this meeting.

Joseph Gillum, Clerk

1844 April 27th The inhabitants of the third
school district were notified according to
the vote of the district in the words following
viz. Notice. The inhabitants of the
third School District, are hereby require-
d to meet at the school house, in said
district on Monday, the sixth day of May
next at six O'clock P.M to act on the fol-
lowing articles viz.

1st To chose a Moderator

2^d To chose a District Clerk

3rd To chose a Prudential Committee for
the ensuing year

4th To appropriate the Money for the ens-
uing year.

5th To chose a Librarian and Standing Commi-
ttee for the ensuing year

Joseph Gillum, Clerk

1844 May 6th. At legal meeting, held in
the school house, in the third district
as notified.

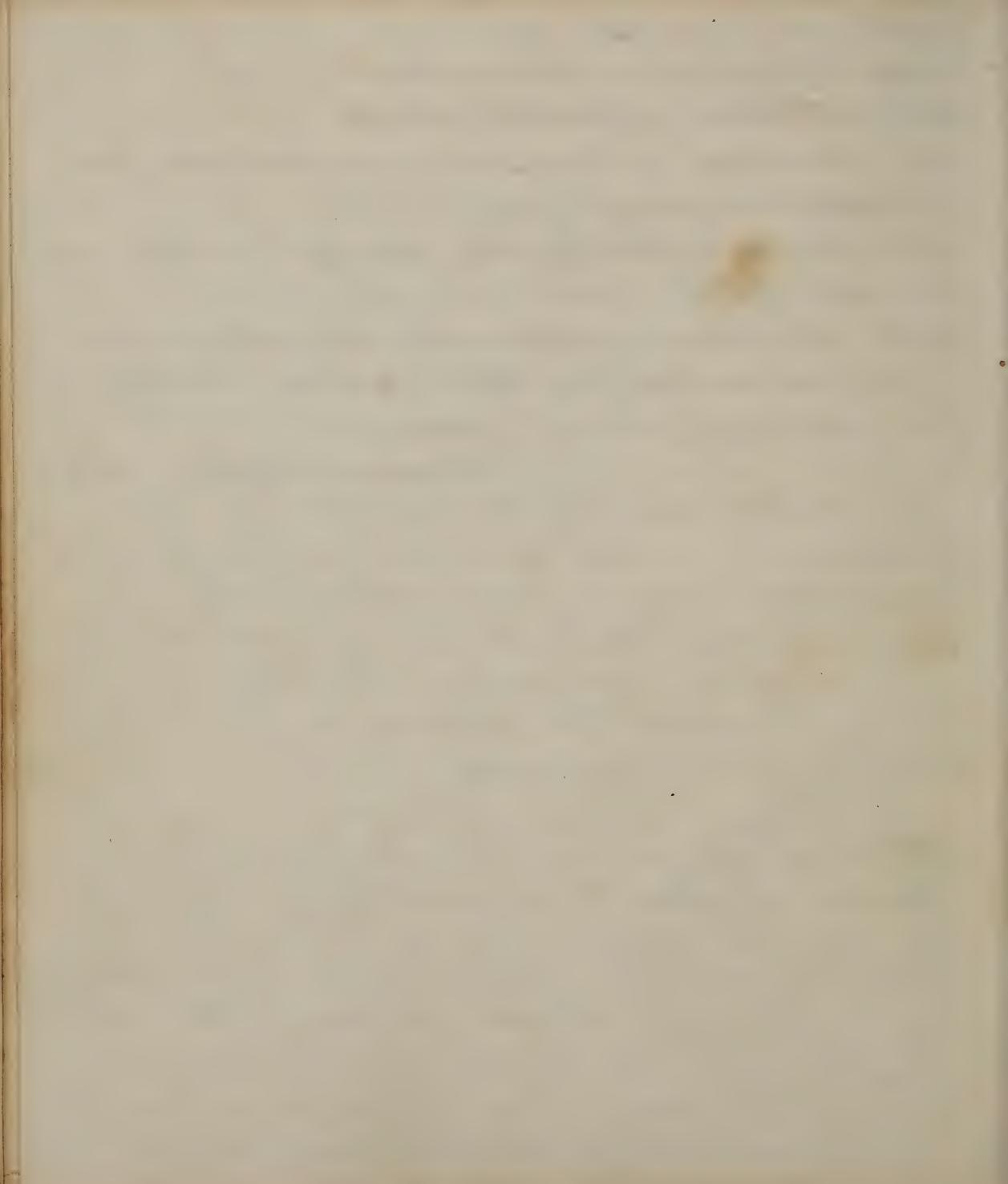
Resolved, 1st Chose Albert Parley Moderator
.. 2^d Chose Joseph Hillam, District Clerk
.. 3^d Chose Joseph Hillam Prudential com-
mittee for the ensuing year
.. 4th To appropriate forty dollars for a
womans school, and the rest for
a mans school.
.. 5th Chose, Joseph Hillam, Librarian
.. 6th Chose Joseph Hillam, Samuel H.
Batchelder and Josiah Timball
Standing Committee for the libra-
ry for the ensuing year
.. 7th To dissolve the meeting
Joseph Hillam Clerk

1845. April 2nd The inhabitants of the third
School District were notified according
to the vote of the district in the words
following viz Notice. The inhabitants of
the third School district, are hereby required
to meet at the school house, in said dis-
trict on Monday, the fifth day of May
next at six O'clock P. M. to act on the

following Articles viz.

- 1st To Chose a Moderator-
- 2^d To Chose a district Clerk.
- 3^d. To Chose a Prudential Committee for
the ensuing year
- 4th. To Appropriaite the Money for the ensu-
ing year
- 5th To Chose a Librarian and Standing
Committee for the School Library for
the ensuing year.

Joseph Shillam? Clerk



Notice

The inhabitants of the third school dis-trict in Bexford qualified by law to vote in town and district affairs, are hereby notified and warned to meet at the school house in said dis-trict on Monday the fourth day of May next at seven o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz 1st to choose a Moderator 2^d to choose a district clerk 3 to choose a presidential committee for the current year, 4th To appropriate the money for the ensuing year, 5th To choose a Librarian and a standing committee for the ensuing year.

Bexford April 23, 1846

S. H. Batchelder Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Friends
of the third School District
in Buxford held May 4, 1846,
Chas. Joseph Rollam Moderator
S H Batchelder Clerk
Oliver T Peabody President
Committee, Voted to approve
private forty dollars for the sup-
port of the summer school and
the same similar to the winter
school & chose Joseph Rollam
Librarian Chose S H Batchelder
for Jch Rollam Oliver T Peabody
Standing Committee.
Voted to dissolve the meeting.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants
of District No 3 held May 3, 1847 chose
Joseph H. William Moderator,
G. H. Battield Clerk Chose Daniel
Court of Precedential Committee
Voted to appropriate forty dollars
to the summer school to those
Joseph William Librarian.

Closed Oliver D. Peabody

John Gould Standing
William H. Herrick Committee
Meeting adjourned.

June 21st 1848. By request of the Select
men issued a warrant in the words
following viz.

To Josiah Thimball one of the inhab-
itants of the third school district
in the town of Boxford. Greeting,

You are hereby required in the
name of the Commonwealth of
Massachusetts to notify and warn the
male inhabitants of said district qual-
ified to vote in district affairs, to assem-
ble at the school house in said district
on Saturday the first day of July next
at six O'clock P. M. to act on the follow-
ing Articles viz.

1st To Chose a Moderator.

2d. To Chose a district Clerk

3. To determine by whom future meet-
ings of the district shall be called
and the manner of running said
meeting -

4th. To determine in what manner
the district money for the present
year shall be appropriated and ex-
pended

5th. To take such order as the district may
judge best relative to the time of

holding their annual meetings By request of Josiah Timball and others
Hereof fail not and have you there
this warrant with your doings heron,
at the time and place above named.
Given under our hands and seals
at Boxford this twenty first day of
June A.D. 1848.

Moses Downey Selectmen
George Pearl } of
Boxford

Pursuant to the within warrant I
have notified the inhabitants of the
Third School District in Boxford,
who are qualified to vote in town affairs,
to meet at the time and place
and for the purposes within expressed
Boxford July 1. 1848. Josiah Timball

July 1. 1848. The inhabitants of the district
met according to the notice as express
ed in the warrant, George Pearl pre
siding at the meeting

- 1st Chose Josiah Timball, moderator
- 2d Chose Joseph Killam Clerk
- 3d Voted, That the Clerk notify on the
School house, and the meeting house

4th voted. To appropriate forty five dollars
for woman's School, and the remain-
der for a man's School —

5th voted. To have the future annual
School meetings, on the second
Monday in March.

Voted To dissolve this meeting

1848. October 14. The inhabitants of the
third school district were notified, by
request, according to a vote of the dis-
trict in the words following to wit.

Notice To the inhabitants of the third
school district qualified to vote in law-
m affairs, are hereby required to meet
at the School House in said district
on Monday the twenty third day of
October Inst. at six o'clock P. M. to
act on the following articles to wit.

A. To Choose a moderator

B. To adopt such measures as may
be thought best relative to making
necessary repairs on their school house

C. To see if the District will procure a
new stove to warm their school house
or take any measure relative thereto
~~that~~ to that may be thought best.

4th To raise a suitable sum of money
to defray the expenses that may accrue
in consequence of the action of the
District on the above Articles.

1843. October 23rd. At a legal meeting of the
inhabitants of the third school district,
qualified to vote in town affairs, notified
according to a vote of the district.

1st Chose Josiah Kimball Moderator

2^d Voted, To make necessary repairs on
their school house

3^d Voted, To procure a new stove and
funnel to warm the school house
and to dispose of the old stove to the
best advantage

4th Voted, That Albert Perley be a
committee to repair the school
house, and to procure a new stove
and funnel, also to dispose of the
old stove.

5th Voted, To raise twenty five dollars
to defray the expenses of repairs.
Stove and funnel.

Voted to dissolve this meeting

1849. March 3^d The inhabitants of the third school district, were matified according to a vote of the district, passed July 1st 1848. Notice. The inhabitants of the third school district, qualified to vote in town affairs, are hereby required to meet at the school house in said district on Monday, the twelfth day of March instant at six o'clock P. M. to act on the following Articles to wit:

- 1st To Chose a Moderator
- 2^d To Chose a district Clerk
- 3^d To Chose a Prudential Committee for the ensuing year
- 4th To Appropriate the Money for the current year.
- 5th To Chose a Librarian and Standing Committee for the ensuing year

Joseph Killam, Clerk
Boxford March 3. 1849.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of District
etc. held March 12-1849 -

- 1^o Chose Samuel H Batchelder Moderator
- 2^d do. Oliver T. Peabody Clerk
- 3^d voted to pass over the third article
- 4^t voted to appropriate one third of the money for
a woman's school and the remainder for a
man's school
- 5th Chose Samuel H Batchelder Librarian
William H Herrick {
Sec. Josiah Limball { committee
Samuel H Batchelder }
Voted to dissolve the meeting

O. T. Peabody Clerk

1850-1st March The Inhabitants of the third school dist-
rict were notified according to a vote of the district
passed July 1st 1848

To the inhabitants of the third school district
qualified to vote in town affairs are hereby required to
meet at the School-house in said district on Monday
the seventh day of March, at six o'clock P.M. to
act on the following articles, viz.

- 1st To choose a Moderator,
- 2^d To choose a district Clerk,
- 3^d To choose a prudential committee ensuing year
to appropriate the money for the current year
- 5th To choose a Librarian and standing
committee for the ensuing year.

Boston March 1st 1850

E. T. Peabody Clerk.

At a legal meeting held March 11th 1850 of the Inhabitants
of Eliz. Street, 1850.

- 1st Chose William H. Butterfield Moderator
- 2d Dr Oliver St. Peabody Clerk
- 3d Voted to pass over the third article
- 4th Voted an appropriate one third for female teacher
and the remainder for male teachers
- 5th Chose William H. Merrick Librarian
- Chosen William H. Butterfield
- Oliver St. Peabody } committee
Libert Smith }
Voted to adjourn the meeting C. H. Peabody Clerk

1851-9th March. The inhabitants of the third school district were notified according to a vote of the district passed July 1st 1848.

Notice. The inhabitants of the third school district qualified to vote in town affairs are hereby required to meet at the school house in said district on Monday the 11th instant day of March at six o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz,

- 1st To choose a Moderator
- 2nd To choose a district clerk.
- 3rd To choose a prudential committee

for the ensuing year.

- 4th To ~~not~~ appropriate the money for the current year.

- 5th To choose a librarian and standing committee for the ensuing year.

Boxford March 8th 1851.

C. H. Peabody, Clerk.

A. A. legal meeting held March 10-1851 of the inhabitants
of District No. 3.

- 1st Chose Daniel Gould Moderator
- 2d. " Oliver G. Westcott recorder
- 3d. Voted to pass over the third article
- 4th voted to appropriate one third for summer and remainder for winter
- 5th Chose Daniel Gould Tabernacle
- 6th Chose Samuel H. Watchelder, Worcester Committee
William H. Herrick.

Elected to dissolve the meeting

J. T. Parody Park

Berford May 8. 1852

To the Selectmen of the town
of Berford.

The undersigned legal voters
in the Town of Berford and in -
habitants of district No 3 in
said Berford respectfully request
you to issue your warrant to one
of their number authorizing him
to notify and warn the voters of
said district to meet at the
school house in said district on
Monday the 17th day of May A.D. 1852
at 7 O'clock P.M. to act on the fol-
lowing articles viz.

1. To choose a Moderator.
2. To choose a Clerk.
3. To choose a Librarian and a Standing
Committee.
4. To appropriate the money for
schools.
5. To see if the district will vote
up in the school house
6. To incur money up necessary
to defray the expenses of repairs
7. To prescribe the mode or manner

future meetings and by whom it is to be held
shall be called.

S. H. Batchelder
J. Q. Batchelder
George Stetson



To Samuel H. Batchelder one
of the residents paying taxes.
making the above application.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are required to notify and summon the inhabitants of school district No 3 in the Town of Bofford qualified to vote in town affairs to meet at their school house in said town, on Monday the 17th day of May, at 10 o'clock, P.M., there and there to act on the following articles mentioned in the annexed application.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by notifying personally every inhabitant of said district qualified to vote in town affairs, or by leaving at his place of abode a written notice

notice expressing the time, place,
and purpose of said meeting
seven days at least before the
time appointed for the same.

Hereby fail not and make
return of this warrant with
your doings thereon ~~to the said~~
meeting at the above time and
place. And the Clerk who then
and there be chosen and sworn
is directed to make further return
to us.

Given under our hands
and seals this 8th day of May A.D. 1852

Wm R. Cole } Selectmen
John F. Kimball } of
Boxford

In accordance with the directions
of the within warrant I have
notified and warned all of the
legal voters in said district to
meet at the time and place
mentioned and for the purpose
therein expressed.

Boxford May 8. 1852 S. H. Batchelder

At a legal meeting of the
Inhabitants of District No 3 in
Bogard who were qualified to vote
in town affairs, held in their
schoolhouse in said district
on Monday the 17th day of May
A.D. 1852, chose for Moderator

Daniel Gould

S. H. Batchelder } Clerk

{ G. Gould } Librarian

S. H. Batchelder } Clerk

Samuel Peleg } Standing

Wm H. Hinck } Committee

Voted to appropriate one third
part of the money to support
a female Teacher in the summer
term of the school. Male teacher
the rest of the money.

Voted to pass over the ^{5th} Article
Voted that the Clerk post a notice of future
meetings on the meeting house and on
the school house seven days at least
before the time of said meeting.

Meeting dissolved

S. H. Batchelder } Clerk,

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1853 The Inhabitants of the third
School District in Bopfert
were warned to meet at
the school house in said
District by the following notice
posted agreeably to a vote of
the District passed May 17. 1852

Notice

The inhabitants of the
A. third school district in Bopfert
for qualified to vote in town
affairs, are hereby notified to
meet at the school house
in said district on ~~Wednesday~~
the eleventh day of April A.D. 1853,
to act on the following articles
viz 1st To choose a Moderator
2^d To choose a District Clerk
3^d To choose a Librarian and
a Stumping Committee.
4th To appropriate the School
money for the current
year.

At a legal meeting of all inhabitants
of District No 3 in Bexford who were
qualified to vote in town affairs held in
their school house in said District on
Monday the 11th day of April A.D. 1853

Chose Daniel Gould Moderator
Chose Albert Perley Clerk
Chose Daniel Gould Librarian

Albert Perley Standing
H H Hinck Committee
Samuel Perley } Standing
 Committee

Resolved to appropriate one third part
of the money to support a female
teacher in the summer term of the
School. While teacher the rest of the money
Resolved to dissolve the Meeting

Albert Perley Clerk

1854

Notice

The Inhabitants of the third school district qualified to vote in town office as are hereby notified to meet at the school house in said district on monday the twenty-seventh day of March 1854 at seven o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz.

- 1st To choose a moderator.
- 2nd To choose District Clerk
- 3rd To choose Librarian and standing committee
If it is appropriate the school money
the current year.

Bosford March 18th 1854
Albert Perley 3 Clerk

The inhabitants of the third school District in Bosford were notified to meet at the school house in said District by the above notice pasted agreeably to a vote of the District passed May 17th 1852

At a loyal meeting, of the Inhabitants of
District No 3 in Bradford who were qualified to
vote in town affairs held in their school house
in said District on Monday the 27th day of March
A.D. 1854

Choose Daniel Gould Moderator
Choose Albert Perley Clerk
Choose Daniel Gould Librarian

Choose Albert Perley } Standing
 Daniel Gould } Committee
 Sylvester Cummings }
)

Voted to appropriate one third part of the
money to support a female teacher in summer
the remainder for a male teacher in winter.

Voted to adjourn the meeting

Albert Perley Clerk

The inhabitants of the three schools
District in Boylston were notified to meet
at the school house in said district by the
following notice posted agreeable to a reso-
lution of May 17th 1852

1854 Notice

The Inhabitants of the three school District
in Boylston qualified to vote in town affairs
are hereby notified to meet at the school
house in said district on Monday the
second day of April A.D. 1854 at
seven o'clock P.M. to act on the
following ^{articles} viz

- 1st To choose a moderator.
- 2^d to choose a District Clerk.
- 3^d to choose Librarian and standing committee.
- 4th to appropriate the school money for the
current year.

Boylston March 24th 1854

Albert Perley } Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Third School District in Borstford who were qualified to vote in town affairs held in their school house in said district on Monday the second day of April AD 1853.

Choose Daniel Gould Moderator

Choose Albert Perley Clerk

Choose John R Pritchett Librarian

Choose Daniel Gould
Albert Perley }
Sylvester Cummings } Standing Committee

Voted to appropriate one third part of the money for a female teacher in summer the remainder for a male teacher in winter

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Albert Perley } Clerk

The members of the Board were
to be elected every year at the
regular term of session & held in the following
year the ballot was ready to be voted for by May
1st 1862.

Notice.

The inhabitants of the Ward are - I desire
you will kindly be vote in favorably
the proposed plan to establish a school
in said election and the twenty four
hours next after it if it is not voted for
the school in the following article will be

To choose a moderator

To choose a District Clerk

To choose a standing committee
of three persons to act during the
next year.

and one of them

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of
the third school District in Boylston who were
qualified to vote in Town affairs held in their
School House in said District on Monday the
twelve day of June A.D. 1856.

Chose Joseph H. Jones moderator
chose Albert Perley Clerk
Chose Joseph H. Jones Librarian

Chose } Joseph H. Jones
Standing Committee } Parker P. Pingree
} Samuel Perley Jr

Voted to appropriate one third part of the
school money for the summer school
the remainder for a male teacher in
winter

Voted to Disolve the meeting

Albert Perley } Clerk

No. 3. To establish a Clerk and Collector
in equal quantities to do the following specified
as to the said Clerk and Collector.
The purpose of the same to be for
May 17th 1852.

Article

The Clerk and Collector shall collect
a sufficient quantity to do the following
and by article to do the following
and collect and pay the money there
on or before the 1st day of March 1857. at seven O'clock P.M.
to enter on the following articles.

1st To choose a collector

2^d To choose a Collector Clerk

3^d To have Post paid for the money
4^d to have Silver in and starting coin will
5^d appear the amount may be a cent per

May 17th 1852.

That the 3^d Clerk

A large meeting of the Inhabitants of third
School District in Boxford qualified to vote in
Town affairs held in their School house March 23rd
A.D. 1857

Chose Joseph H. James Moderator.

Chose Albert Peley Clerk

Chose Israel Herrick)

Daniel Gould) Standing Committee
Samuel Peley, Jr.)

Chose George Stedron Librarian

Voted to appropriate one third part of the school
money for a female teacher in summer
for a male teacher in winter
Voted to dissolve the meeting

Albert Peley) Clerk

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Received March 15, 1925

Mr. May 3d

to a vote and if the bill
will be introduced in the House
and voted on before June 1st
and if the House will con-
sider it.

You Joseph H. Lane moderator
of the Albert Parley Clark
Chapman Library Association
Chapman's Library Librarian
Please excuse Peabody
Joseph S. Tyler
Sylvester Cummings
Daniel Garrison
George Loring Johnson
Voted to oppose it at the meeting
for a while longer
I voted that the bill remain on the
first day of May until his bill was
voted to have four weeks extension
Voted to have the bill remain on the floor
four weeks extension and his bill
be considered first the same day it is offered
Voted to file H. 1000
Albert Parley Clark

The inhabitants of the third school District
in Rayford were notified to meet at the school
house in said District by the following notice
posted agreeable to a resolution May
17th 1842.

Notice.

The inhabitants of the third school District
in Rayford qualified to vote in Town
affairs are hereby notified to meet at the
school in said District on Monday the
Twenty-eighth day of March A.D. 1849
at seven O'clock P.M. to act on the
following articles of business.

- 1st To choose a moderator
- 2nd To choose a District Clerk
- 3rd To choose Prudential Committee for the ensuing year
- 4th To choose Librarian
- 5th To appropriate all school money the current year.

Rayford March 19th 1849

(Albert Parker) Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the
Third school District in Newfield who were
qualified to vote in town affairs held in their
School House in said District March 28th 1849

Choose Joseph W. James Moderator
Choose Albert Perley Clerk

Choose Albert Perley Budgetting Committee
Choose Joseph W. James Librarian

Voted to appropriate one half the school
money for a female teacher in summer -
the remainder for a male teacher in winter.
Voted to have the school commence the
first Monday in May.

Voted to adjourn at the meeting

Albert Perley. } Clerk

1860 The inhabitants of the third
School District in Boyxford who were
qualified to vote in Town affairs
were notified to meet at the
School House in said District by the
following notice posted agreeably to vote
passed May 17. 1852

Notice

The inhabitants of the third school District
in Boyxford qualified to vote in Town
affairs are hereby notified to meet
at the school House in said District
on Monday the twenty sixth day of
March A.D. 1860 at seven O'clock
P.M. to act on the following articles

Riz.

- 1st To choose a moderator
- 2nd To choose a District Clerk
- 3rd To choose Prudential Committee
- 4th To choose Librarian
- 5th To appropriate the school money
for the current year
- 6th To see what orders the District will
take in regard to repairing the School
House

Boyxford March 17. 1860
Albert Peley Clerk

At a Legal meeting of all inhabitants of the
Third School District in Bedford who are qualified
to vote in Town affairs held in their School
House in said District March 26th 1867

Choose Joseph H. Jones Moderator
Choose Albert Persley Clerk
Choose Israel Harwick Prudential Committee
Voted to appropriate one third part of the
school money for a female Teacher in summer
the remainder for a male Teacher in winter
Choose Joseph H. Jones Financier
Voted to choose a committee of one to enter
in the expense of repairing the School House
Choose Israel Harwick Committee
Voted to adjourn the meeting one week

April 2nd the District met at the School House
according to the adjournment

Voted against the report of the committee
Voted to raise eighty five dollars to repair the
School House

Voted to choose a committee to repair
the School House

Choose Israel Harwick committee
Voted to Dissolve the meeting

Albert Persley, Clerk

1861 The Inhabitants of the Third School District
in Bofford who were qualified to vote in Town
affairs were notified to meet at the School House
in said District by the following Notice posted
agreeably to a vote passed May 6th 1852

Notice

The Inhabitants of the Third School District in
Bofford qualified to vote in Town affairs are
hereby notified to meet at the School House in said
District on Monday the twenty-fifth day of March
A.D. 1861 at seven O'clock P.M., to act on the following
articles Viz

First To choose a moderator

Second a district Clerk

Third To choose Prudential Committee.

Fourth To appropriate the School money the current
year. To choose Librarian

Bofford March 16th 1861

Albert Peley 3rd Clerk

At a Legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the
Third School District in Shoppford who were qualified
to vote in Town affairs held their School House
in said District March 25th A.D. 1861

Choose Daniel Gould Moderator

Choose Albert Peleg Clark Clerk

Choose John L. Bakholder Presidencial Committee

Choose Joseph H. Jones Librarian

Voted to appropriate one half of the School money for
a picnic teacher in summer the remainder for
a rule teacher in winter

Voted to set the wood up at the lowest bidder

Voted to buy two cords hard wood and one third pine
stacked William J. Sawyer at 6 dollars for hard
wood and 4.75 for pine

Voted to Disolve the meeting

Albert Peleg Clark

1862. The Inhabitants of the Third School District
in Roxford who were qualified to vote in Town affairs
were notified to meet at the School House
in said District by the following Notice posted
accordingly to a vote passed March 1st 1852

Notice

The Inhabitants of the Third School District in Roxford
qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified
to meet at the School House in said District on
Monday the twenty-fourth day of March A
1862 at seven o'clock P.M. to act on the follow-
ing articles Rx

First To choose a moderator

Second To choose a District Clerk.

Third To choose Prudential Committee

Fourth To appropriate the School money the current ^{year}

Fifth To choose Librarian

Roxford March 18th 1862

Albert Parley, Clerk

at a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the
Third School District on Bedford who were qualified
to vote in Town affairs held at this School House
in said District March 24th 1862.

Choose Daniel Gould Moderator
choose Albus Parker Clerk

Choose Francis Warden Precential Committee
Voted to appropriate one half the school money
for a female Teacher in summing the remainder
for a male Teacher is wanted
Choose Joseph H. Farns Librarian
Voted to close the meeting

Albus Parker } Clerk

1863 The Inhabitants of the Third School District
Bosford who were qualified to vote in Town affairs
were notified to meet at the School House in said
District by the following Notice posted agreeably
to a vote passed May 1st 1852

NOTICE.

The Inhabitants of the Third School District in
Bosford qualified to vote in Town affairs are here-
by notified to meet at the School House in
said District on Monday the twenty ^{third} ~~second~~
day of March 1863 at seven o'clock P.M.
to act on the following articles viz:

First To choose a Moderator

Second To choose a District Clerk

Third To choose Prudential Committee

Fourth To choose Librarian

Fifth To appropriate the school money the current year

Bosford March 14th 1863
Albert Serley } Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the
Third School District in Boscobel held at their
School House March 23rd 1863

Voted 1st chose Daniel Gould Moderator
2nd chose Joseph H. Yanes Clerk
3rd chose Francis Narden Prudential Committee
4th chose Joseph H. Yanes Librarian
5th Voted to appropriate one half the school
money for a female teacher in summer
the remainder for a male teacher in winter
Voted to dissolve the meeting

Joseph H. Yanes Clerk

1864 The Inhabitants of the third School
District in Buxford who are qualified to vote
in Town affairs, were notified to meet at the
School house in said District by the following
notice posted agreeably to a vote passed on the
19th 1852

Notice

The Inhabitants of the third School District
in Buxford who are qualified to vote in Town
affairs are hereby notified to meet at the
Schoolhouse in said District on Monday
the twentyfirst day of March at 7 o'clock
P.M. to act on the following articles viz.

- 1st To Choose a Moderator
- 2nd To Choose a District Clerk
- 3rd To Choose Prudential Committee
- 4th To Choose Librarian
- 5th To appropriate the School money the current

Buxford March 11th 1864

Joseph H. James } Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the third
School District ^{qualified to vote in their affairs} in Hinsdale held at their School
house March 21st 1864

Voted 1st

1st Chose Daniel Gould Moderator

2nd Passed over

3rd Chose Erastus Smith Prudential Committee

4th Passed over

5th Voted that one third of the money be expended
for a female teacher in summer and two
thirds for a male teacher in winter

Voted to dissolve the meeting

Joseph H. Jones) Clerk

1865. The Inhabitants of the third School District in Buxford who are qualified to vote in Town Affairs were notified to meet at the Schoolhouse in said District by the following notice posted agreeably to a vote passed May 15th 1852.

Notice

The Inhabitants of the third School District in Buxford who are qualified to vote in Town Affairs are hereby notified to meet at the Schoolhouse in said District on Monday the twentieth day of March instant at 1 o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz
1st To choose a Master or Teacher
2nd To choose a District Clerk
3rd To choose a Prudential Committee
4th To choose a Librarian
5th To appropriate the School money the current year

Buxford March 10th 1865

Joseph H. Young, Clerk

At a legal meeting of the Inhabitants of the Third
Yonan District qualified to vote in Town
again in Bayard held at their School
house March 26th 1803

Voted

- 1st Chose Daniel Gould Moderator
- 2nd Chose Israel Herrick Clerk
- 3rd Chose Israel Herrick Prudential Committee
- 4th Chose Albert Party Librarian
- 5th Voted a appropriate one half of the School
money for a female Teacher in summer
the remainder for a female Teacher in winter

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

Israel Herrick Clerk

1856 The Inhabitants of the third School District in Boxford who are qualified to vote in Town affairs were notified to meet at the Schoolhouse in said District by the following notice posted agreeably to a vote passed May 17th 1852

Notice

The Inhabitants of the third School District in Boxford who are qualified to vote in Town affairs are hereby notified to meet at the Schoolhouse in said District on Monday the twenty-sixth day of March inst at 7 o'clock P.M. to act on the following articles viz
1st To choose a Moderator
2nd To choose a District Clerk
3rd To choose a Prudential Committee
4th To choose a Librarian
5th To appropriate the School money for the current year

Boxford March 17th 1856

Israel Herrick, Clerk

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the third School district, qualified to vote in town affairs in Roxbury held at their School house March 26th 1866

Voted

- 1st Chose Sylvester C Smith Moderator
- 2nd Chose Erastus Smith Clerk
- 3rd Chose Albert Parker Treasurer committee
- 4th Voted to pass over
- 5th Voted to spend one half of the school money for a female teacher in the summer and the remainder for a female teacher in the winter
- Voted to have the school commences the second monday in May.
- Voted to dissolve the meeting

Erastus Smith Clerk

1867 The inhabitants of the third School
District in Buxford who are qualified
to vote in Town affairs were notified
to meet at the Schoolhouse in said District
by the following notice posted
annually to a vote passed Augt 7 1852

Select

The Inhabitants of the third School
District in Buxford who are qualified
to vote in Town affairs are hereby
notified to meet at the Schoolhouse
in said District on Monday the eighth
day of April instant at 7 o'clock P.M. to
act on the following articles viz
1st To choose a Moderator
2^d To choose a District Clerk
3^d To choose a Financial Committee
4th To choose a Librarian
5th To appropriate the School money
the current year

Buxford March 29-1867

Everett Smith Clerk

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Took to kissine the meeting.

Tyler L. Smith
Clock

Borxford March 9th 1868.

In a report of several of the inhabitants
of the School District the following was a
recommendation made by them.

To Peter Shout one of the resident Far Farmers
of the School District and the Town of Borford.

Greeting.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Maine I
will go on record against the
proposal of the School District to move their
School house on Wednesday March 18th at
about 9 A.M. to about the place of a building

to be chosen after consulting the people of said district
at about a week for said District.

The reasons for which I do so are as follows
and do not mean to be in any way

to determine what may be the best mode
of the School house which appears fitted for the
use of the summons arm, and what part of the
said town of school the school you

propose to let in when the same is done
but I do not think it will require the expense

of such a large amount of money as you
have mentioned and I do not think that
such meetings shall all be called.

And you are directed to serve it so manner by obtaining
privately from qualified voter in said District or by
having at the place of election a written notification
regarding the time, and place and purpose of the
meeting and giving it out before the time appointed
for the same. Thereof shall make and make known
of their names to the voter therein to the Clerk
thereof at the above time and place and the Clerk
who shall then and there be chosen and sworn is
directed to make a full list of the names
of all our Officee.

over.

Given under my hand at Rockport the 20th day
Novr. A.D. 1868.

As per Wm. Cope, | Election
Chairman's Day | of
John Pearl | Post Master.

This is to certify and declare that the above and
named is the Clerk of the said District
and he has been chosen and appointed
as such and such, and also to be
a place of election for the election of
the inhabitants of said District, to be
held in the month of November, in the year
one thousand eight hundred and sixty seven.

At a regular meeting of the sub-committee of the
High School, held yesterday evening, it was
decided at their meeting to accept the gift
of \$100.00 from Mr.

Voted

Mr. Charles Parker, Boston, Massachusetts.
Mr. Charles Parker, District Clerk.

That the sub-committee of the High School,
propose to present Mr. Parker with a
pamphlet of a framed portrait of the famous
Abraham Lincoln, to be made by
John C. Brown, the famous painter, of Boston,
as a token of their appreciation of his services
as a teacher after the High School. Voted,
and I direct the Secretary

Albert Stanley

I. Clerk.

1869 The Inhabitants of the Third School District
in Buxford who were qualified to vote in town
affairs were notified to meet at the school house
in said District by the following Notice posted
upon the door of a voter passed 1852

Notice

The Inhabitants of the Third School District
in Buxford who were qualified to vote in town
affairs are hereby notified to meet at the school
house in said District on Monday the fifteenth
day of March 1st 1869 at seven o'clock P.M.
to act on the following articles viz.

First To choose a Moderator

Second To choose a District Clerk

Third To choose a Auditing Committee

Fourth To appropriate the school money the amount of one

Fifth To choose Librarian

Buxford March 6th 1869

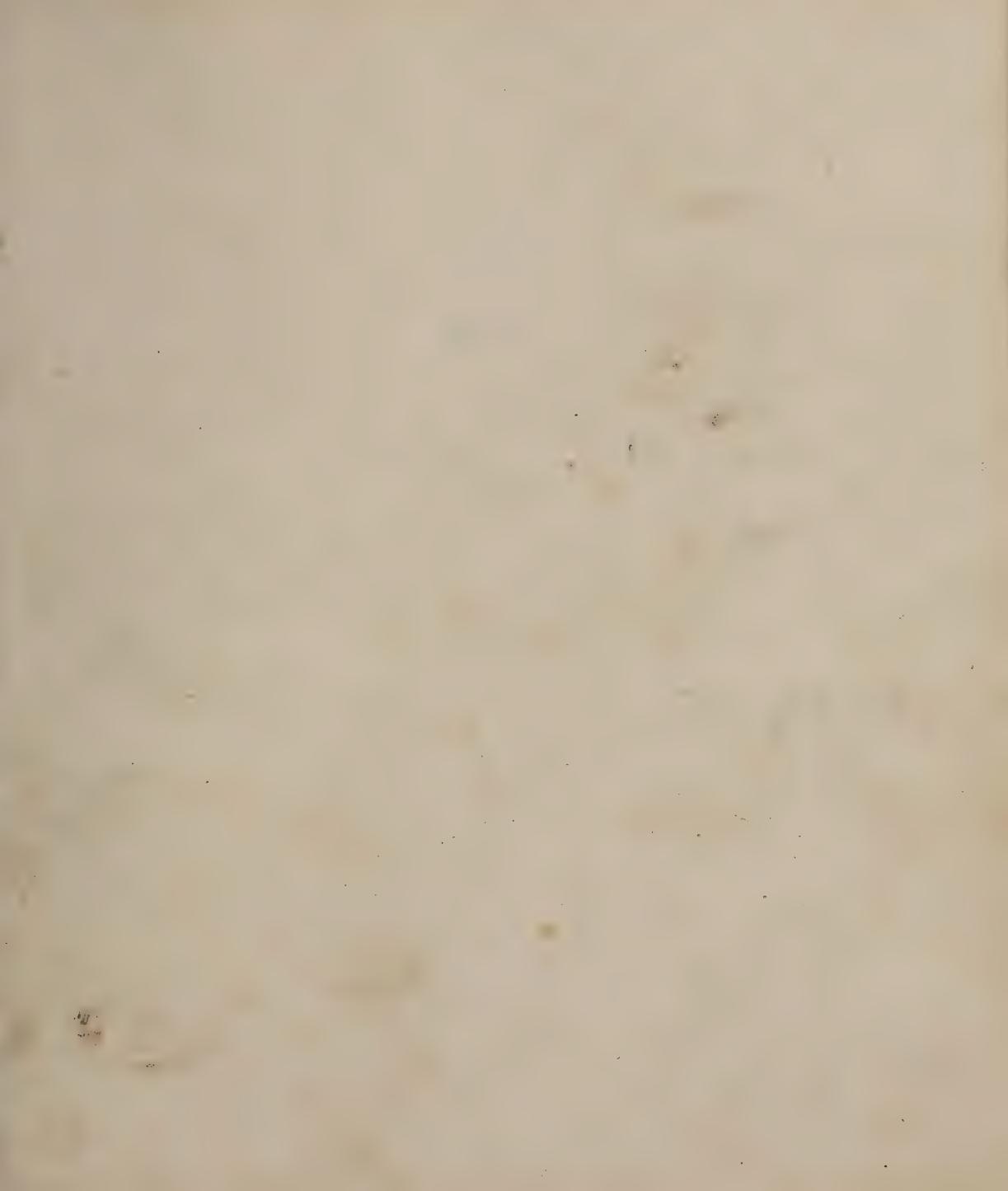
Albert Peeler Clerk

1869 At a League Meeting of the
Inhabitants of the Third School District
Qualified to vote in Town Affairs
In Boxford Held at their School House
March Fifteenth 1869

voted.

First - Chose Daniel Gould, Moderator
Second " C. C. Stevens Clerk
Third " C. C. Stevens Prudential Com^t
Fourth " Albert Perley Lozbrain
Fifth voted To Appropriated one Third
of the School Money for Summer
for Female Teacher the remainder
of the Money for Male Teacher
In the Winter. Voted for Summer
School to commence Monday April 12th
for winter School commence.
Voted to adjourn this Meeting.

C. C. Stevens Clerk

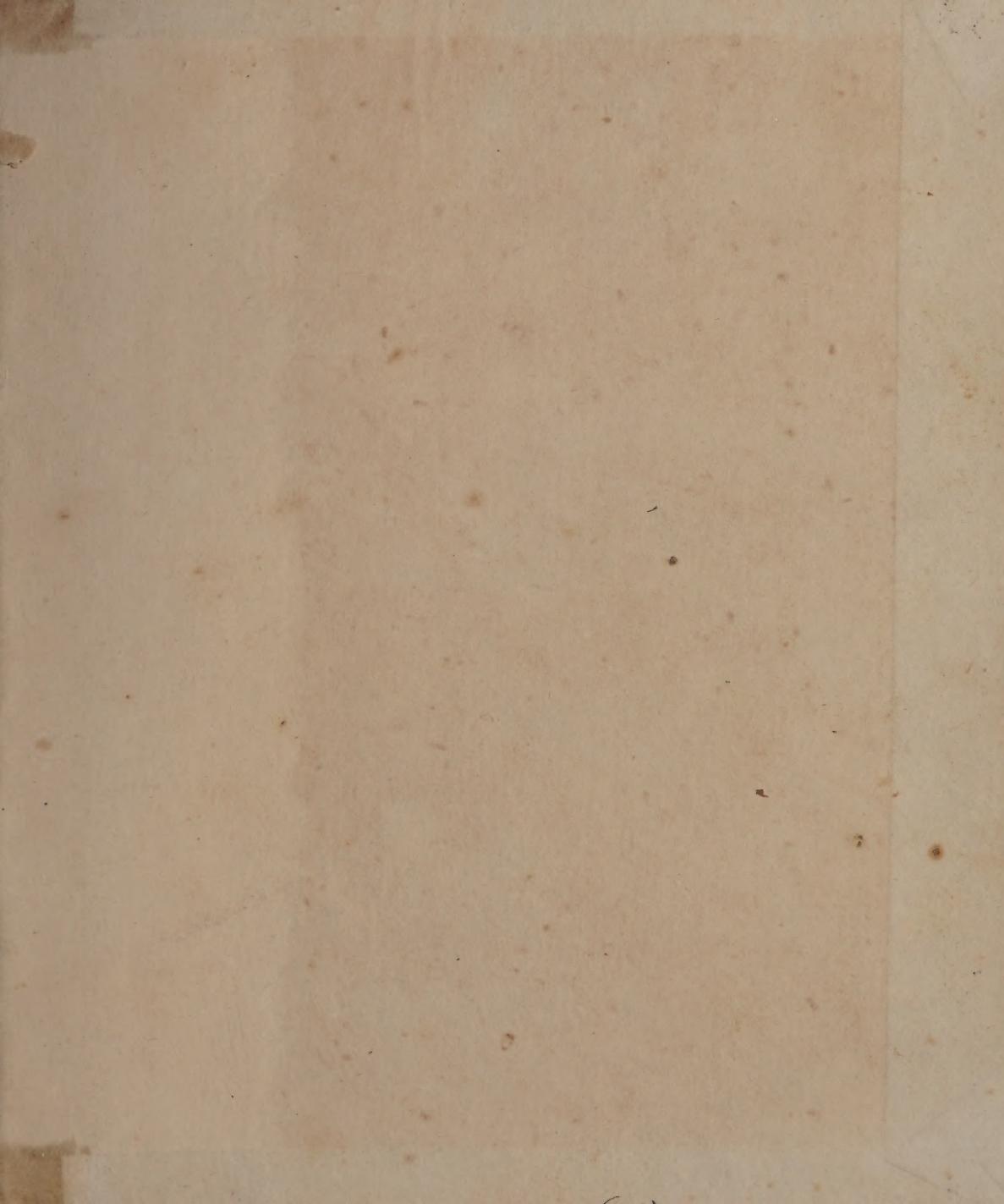












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